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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Director of the United States Patent  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated September 29, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 4.